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For: **INFORMATION PROCESSING UNIT,
INFORMATION PROCESSING METHOD, PROGRAM FOR THE SAME,
RECORDING MEDIUM FOR RECORDING THE PROGRAM THEREIN, AND
REPRODUCING UNIT**

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This paper is in response to the Non-Final Office Action dated January 11, 2010. No extension fee is due. However, if this paper is not timely filed, please consider this a petition for an appropriate extension of time. Charge any fees needed for such an extension of time, and any other fees which may be needed to enter this paper or the accompanying RCE, to **Deposit Account No. 01-2340.**

The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.